Claims

- 1. A multi-focal contact lens wherein the lens is manufactured at least partially from a responsive polymer gel.
- 2. A multi-focal contact lens according to Claim 1 wherein the responsive polymer gel changes shape and/or refractive index.
- 3. A multi-focal contact lens according to Claim 1 or 2 wherein the responsive polymer gel responds to the application of stimulus.
- 4. A multi-focal contact lens according to Claim 3 wherein the stimulus in an electric field.
- 5. A multi-focal contact lens according to Claim 3 wherein the stimulus in a magnetic field.
- 6. A multi-focal contact lens according to any one of Claims 3 to 5 wherein the stimulus is produced by means embedded in the contact lens itself.
- 7. A multi-focal contact lens according to any one of Claims 3 to 6 wherein the means of providing the stimulus is a nano or micro chip.
- 8. A multi-focal contact lens according to Claim 7 wherein the chip monitors the eye movement such that a change in eye movement causes the chip to emit the stimulus.
- 9. A multi-focal contact lens according to Claim 7 wherein the chip monitors interpupillary distance and emits a stimulus when this changes.

10. A multi-focal contact lens according to Claim 7 where the chip monitors the distance between the right and left contact lenses and emits a stimulus when this changes.